

Appl. No. 10/875,034
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Reply to Office Action of Dec. 5, 2005

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, reconsideration of the present application in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claims 20, 22, 23 and 24 are presented for the Examiner's consideration.

Claims 1 - 19 have been cancelled.

Claims 20, 22, 23 and 24 were previously allowed in the Office Action mailed on December 5, 2005.

The Applicants request that the amendments be entered as they place claims 20, 22, 23 and 24 in proper form for allowance, or minimally, the amendments place the claims in better condition for appeal as they more clearly define the structure of the nonwoven fabric of the invention.

For the reasons stated above, and with regard to the previously allowed claims, it is respectfully submitted that all of the present claims are in form for allowance.

Please charge any prosecutorial fees which are due to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875. The undersigned may be reached at: (770) 597-8640.

Respectfully submitted,

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